

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 October 02 2015 to 1800 October 02 2015



Sunset at McClures Beach, Point Reyes National Seashore, Marin County.

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Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) transitioned to Joint Field Office (JFO) operations with FEMA to support recovery operations.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

- A storm system moving south from the northern Great Basin will cause winds to increase across Northern California Saturday night. Northeast winds will ramp up to 30-40 mph across the higher elevations in the North Bay. Trees weakened by drought will be susceptible to being blown down.
 - Potential Impacts caused by this wind event include: Numerous trees downed, power outages, and possibility of fire starts and rapid fire growth.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

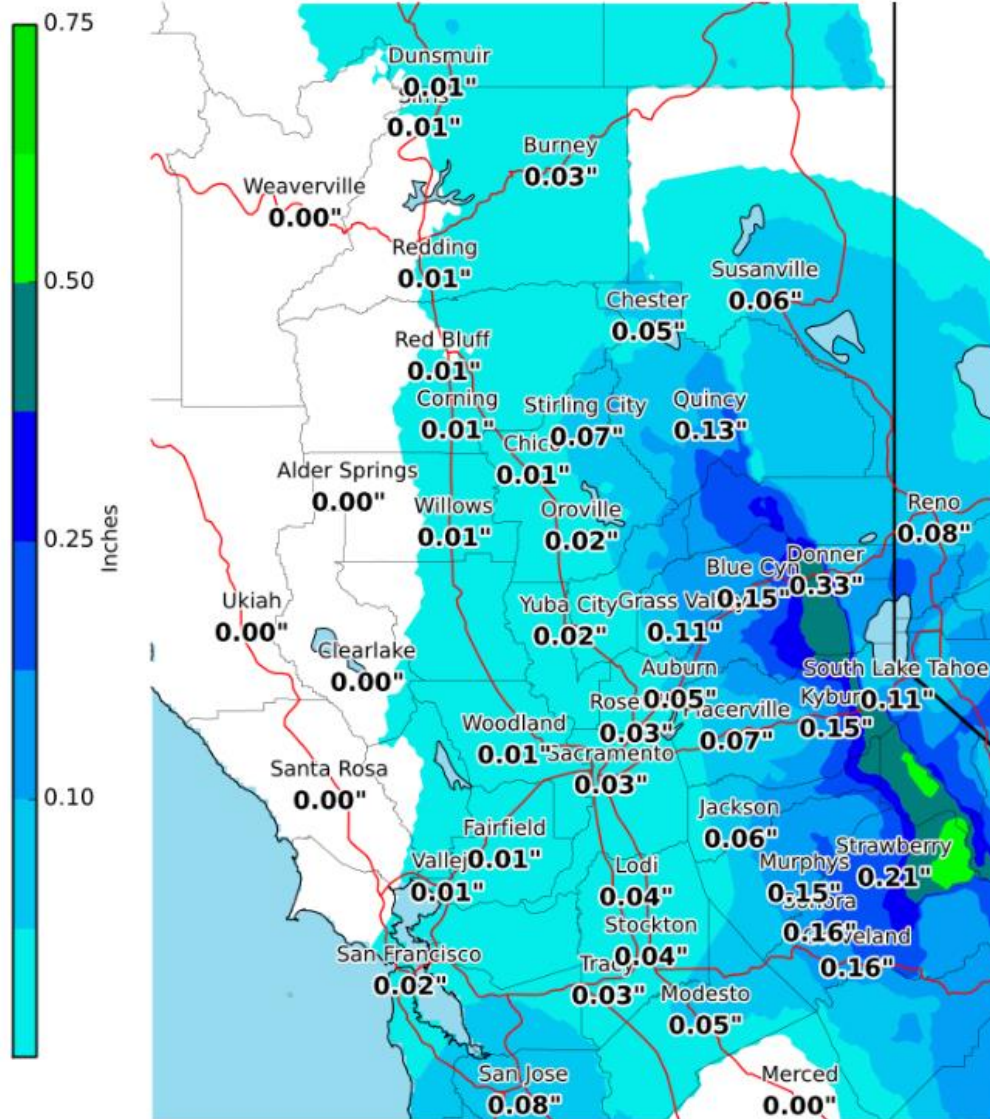
http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

Proclamation from Madera County

A proclamation from Madera County was received proclaiming a local emergency due to a tree mortality disaster. Madera County has requested the Governor proclaim a State of Emergency for the County.

Storm Total Rain through Sunday Evening

Valid: 10/03/2015 11:00 AM - 10/04/2015 11:00 PM PDT



Maximum Wind Gusts



National Weather Service
Sacramento California
10/02/2015 04:50 PM PDT

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Wind advisory for the North bay hills Saturday night

WINDS: Northeast 20 TO 30 MPH with higher gusts possible.

Highlighted areas are in the advisory zone.

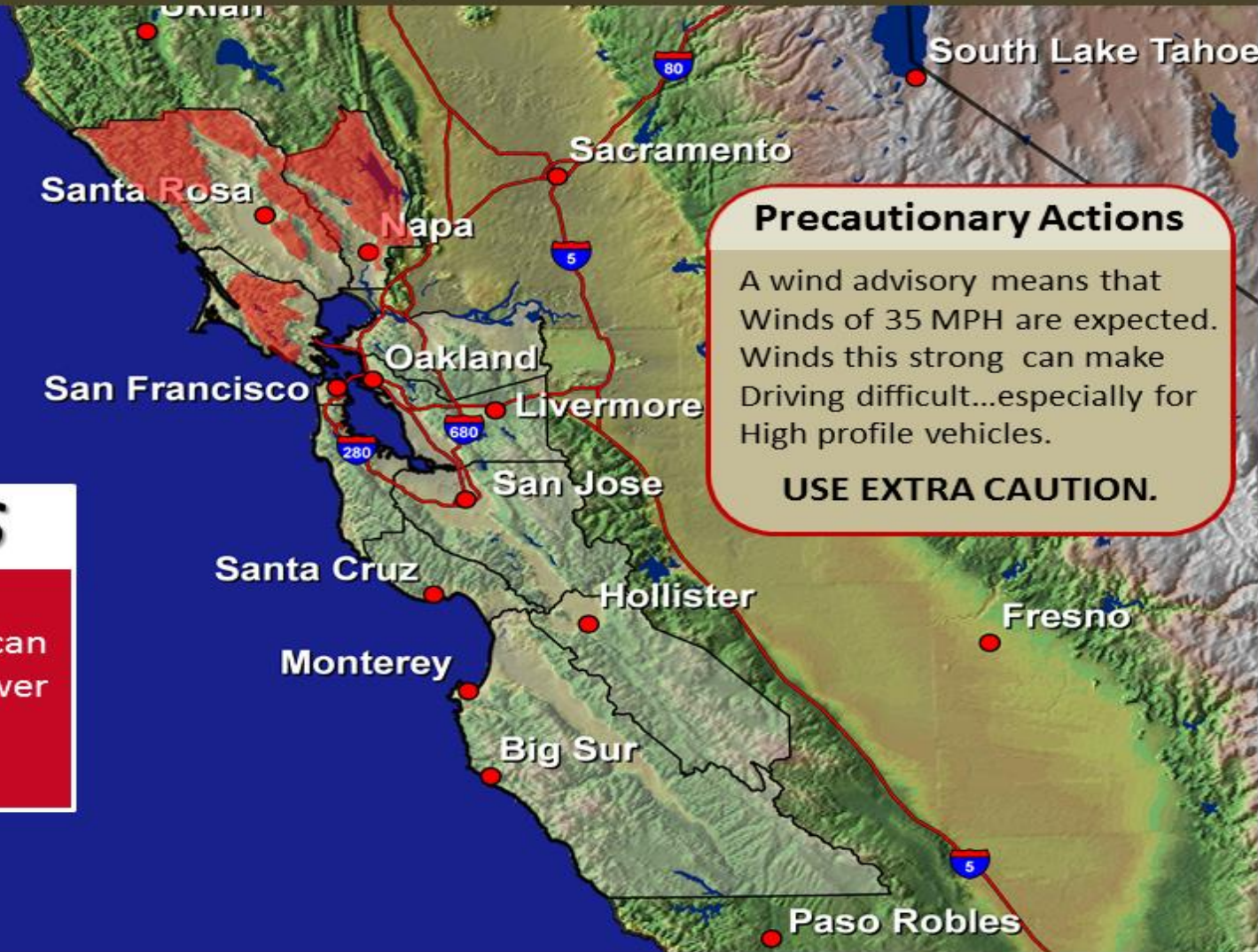
Precautionary Actions

A wind advisory means that Winds of 35 MPH are expected. Winds this strong can make Driving difficult...especially for High profile vehicles.

USE EXTRA CAUTION.

IMPACTS

Trees weakened by drought conditions can be blown down. Power outages will be possible.



Weather Forecast Office
San Francisco Bay Area/Monterey, CA

10/2/2015 1:47 pm PDT

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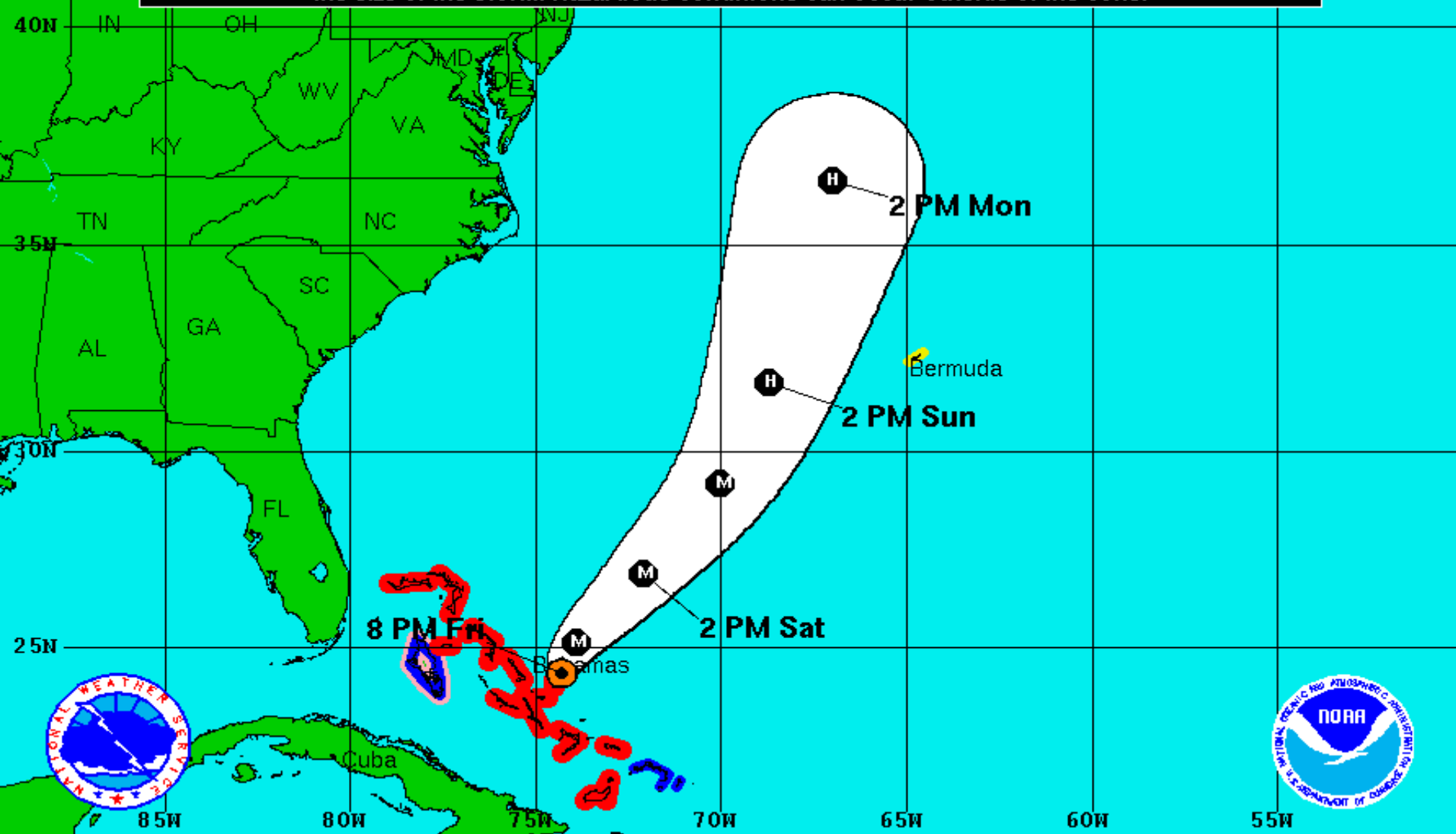
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SITUATION SUMMARY

Hurricane Joaquin, Atlantic Ocean – United States East Coast

- As of 1700 hours PDT, Joaquin has been classified a Category 4 Hurricane.
- As of 1700 hours PDT, Hurricane Joaquin was located approximately 25 miles north-northeast San Salvador, Bahamas moving northeast at 7 mph. A faster northward motion is expected to begin later today, followed by a turn toward the northeast and an increase in forward speed tonight and Saturday. Maximum sustained winds are at 125 mph with higher gusts. Some slow weakening is forecast during the next 48 hours. Hurricane force winds extend out to 50 miles from the center and tropical storm force winds extend out to 205 miles from the center. The minimum central pressure is 27.85 inches.
- Hurricane Warnings are in effect for the central and northwestern Bahamas: the Abacos, Berry Islands, Eleuthera, Grand Bahama Island, and New Providence, the Acklins, Crooked Island, and Mayaguana in the southeastern Bahamas. A Hurricane Watch is in effect for Bimini and Andros Island. A Tropical Storm Warning is in effect for the remainder of the southeastern Bahamas including the Turks and Caicos Island, Andros Island, and several Cuban provinces.
- Joaquin is expected to produce 12 to 18 inches of rain across the central Bahamas with isolated maximum amounts of 25 inches. Storm surge will raise water levels by as much as 6 to 12 feet above normal tide levels; large waves are expected. Swells generated by Joaquin have begun to affect portions of the southeastern coast of the U.S., and will spread northward through the weekend. Regardless of Joaquin's track, a prolonged period of elevated water levels and large waves will affect the U.S. Mid-Atlantic region, causing significant beach and dune erosion with moderate coastal flooding likely.
- The track guidance is now in good agreement that Joaquin will move generally northeastward between the United States and Bermuda, with a short-lived northward turn in the 48-72 hour period. Eventually, the cyclone is expected to move into the westerlies and move quickly east-northeastward across the North Atlantic.
- Even if Joaquin remains offshore, strong onshore winds associated with a frontal system will create minor to moderate coastal flooding along the coasts of the mid-Atlantic and northeastern states through the weekend. In addition, very heavy rains, not associated with Joaquin, are expected to produce flooding over portions of the Atlantic coastal states.
- A State of Emergency remains in effect for SC, NC, VA, and NJ but has been rescinded for 8 of the 23 counties in MD. The Virginia National Guard has authorized up to 800 members for response operations in anticipation of severe weather.
- The FEMA National Watch Center remains at Enhanced Watch (24/7). All previously deployed National and Regional Incident Management Assistance Teams have been directed to demobilize and return to home station. FEMA Logistics Incident Support Base teams remain deployed to MA, NC, and NJ. There are no known impacts to nationally significant critical infrastructure.

Note: The cone contains the probable path of the storm center but does not show the size of the storm. Hazardous conditions can occur outside of the cone.



Hurricane Joaquin

Friday October 2, 2015

8 PM EDT Intermediate Advisory 20A

NWS National Hurricane Center

Current Information:

Center Location 24.3 N 74.3 W

Max Sustained Wind 125 mph

Movement NE at 7 mph

Forecast Positions:

● Tropical Cyclone ○ Post-Tropical

Sustained Winds: D < 39 mph

S 39-73 mph H 74-110 mph M > 110mph

Potential Track Area:



Day 1-3

Watches:

Hurricane Trop.Storm

Warnings:

Hurricane Trop.Storm

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

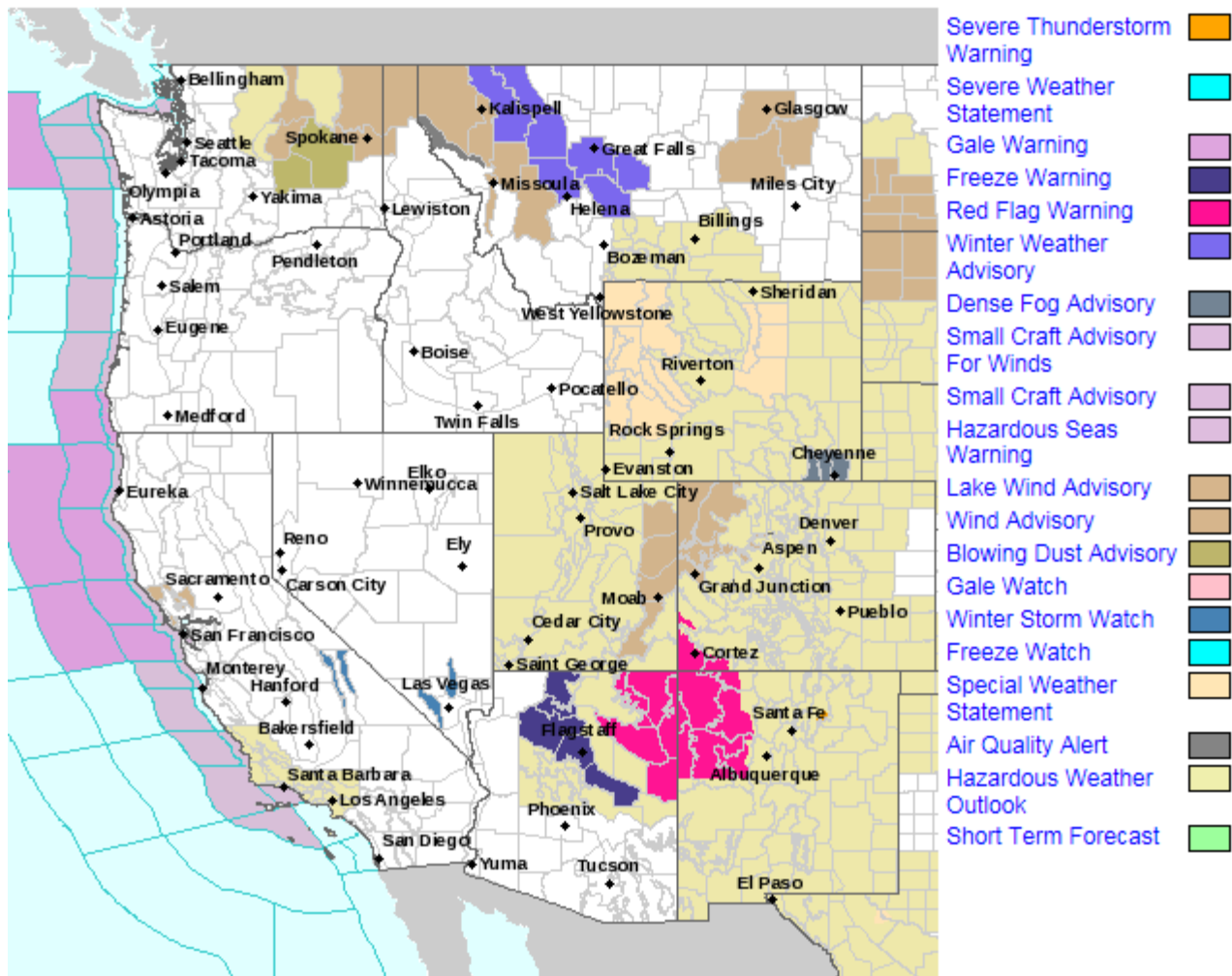
Light rain fell yesterday over much of the eastern and southern portions of Northern California. The heaviest rainfall (0.50-1.25 inches total) fell over the higher terrain from the west slopes of the Sierra-Cascade ranges eastward. That weather system is now moving east across the Great Basin and high pressure is building over Northern California from the west. High pressure will build in tonight as the low and precipitation move off to the east. Mostly clear, dry and warmer weather is expected Friday into Saturday, with light north to northeast or offshore winds enhancing these conditions from the lower western Sierra slopes to the coast. Another low pressure center will drop into the far northern end of Northern California late Saturday. During the afternoon winds will increase out of the southwest to northwest and clouds will increase in northern and eastern areas. Isolated showers will develop in far Northern California late in the day and gradually spread over a larger area in the evening as the low moves southward. By late Saturday night, the low will be near the Bay Area and light rain showers will be scattered across Northern California. Showers will come to an end in Northern California late Sunday as the low moves southeastward over Southern California. Total rainfall with this system will only reach 0.20 inches or less, with the highest totals over the Northern Sierra. Northern areas may see isolated light showers Wednesday as a frontal system passes to the north. High pressure will return late next week with warmer and drier weather.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

The back side of a Pacific trough which is currently centered over the Great Basin will bring northerly winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph to the south coast of Santa Barbara and to the Grapevine through tonight. Temperatures will be near normal through Saturday as the current trough moves east and an area of low pressure drops south from Canada. Maximum temperatures will be in the mid-60s to mid-70s across the mountains, with upper 70s and 80s in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be above 20% through Saturday. Southerly winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph will surface across the mountains and deserts Saturday afternoon through Sunday afternoon ahead of the low pressure area coming in from the north. This low pressure area will bring scattered showers to the region Sunday morning through Monday night. Most of Southern California and the Sierra will receive between 0.25 and 0.75 inch of rainfall, while Central California west of the Sierra receives less than 0.25 inch of rainfall. Isolated thunderstorms will occur over Central California both Sunday and Monday and over Southern California Monday. Temperatures will be around 10 degrees below normal Sunday and Monday with mid to upper 70s in the warmer valley locations. Temperatures will warm a little and humidity will drop some on Tuesday as the low pressure area weakens and moves off to the east. A strong ridge of high pressure will build into California from the Pacific Ocean which will bring a significant warming and drying trend to the region Wednesday through the end of next week. Gusty offshore winds are possible across Southern California late next week.



STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Oct, 2nd 2015 at 6:20:18 pm MDT



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Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County (FINAL)

Location: Butte Mountain Rd & Amador Lane, Jackson

Jurisdiction: DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/09/15 at 1430 hours

Per Cal OES, CALFIRE, and ICS-209 as of 10/02/15 at 0743 hours:

- 70,868 Acres, 100% Contained
- Structures Destroyed: 475 Single Residences, 343 Other Minor Structures
- Injuries/confirmed fatalities: Two confirmed civilian casualties have been reported by Cal OES Law Enforcement on 09/16/15. Cause of death to be determined.
- Local Government Resources: 3 engines

Proclamations

- The U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency announced that federal disaster aid has been made available to the State of California and ordered federal aid to supplement state and local recovery efforts in the area affected by the Valley Fire (Lake County) and the Butte Fire (Calaveras County) for (IA) Individual Assistance.
- An FMAG has been received and approved by FEMA; FEMA-5111-FM-CA.
- Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an Emergency Proclamation for Amador and Calaveras Counties approving California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA-2015-03) funding.

Activations

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) transitioned to Joint Field Office (JFO) operations with FEMA to support recovery operations.

Shelters / Evacuation Centers

- Jenny Lind Veterans Memorial District, 189 Pine St, Valley Springs CA 95252. [Closed](#).

Community Care Licensing Facilities Impacted:

- Currently there are 7 facilities impacted by the Butte Fire. One facility has burned down. All facilities impacted were child care facilities.

Animal Shelters:

- Calaveras County Animal shelter for small animals/pets only, 901 Jeff Tuttle Road, San Andreas, CA.
- Animal services continues to reunite pets with their owners and coordinate large animal placement and reunification.
- Laughton Ranch, 90 Clinton Road, Jackson 95642: Accept all sized animals and accepting donations (300 animals)

Recovery/Debris Management

- Recovery activities will be reported as significant changes to information occurs.

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa and Sonoma Counties

Location: Bottle Rock Road x Glenbrook Road, Northwest of Middletown

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/12/15 at 1325

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and ICS-209 as of [10/02/15 at 1723 hours](#):

- 76,067 Acres, 97% Contained
- Structures Damaged: 41 Single Residences, 7 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 45 Other Minor Structures
- Structures Destroyed: 1,280 Single Residences, 27 Multiple Residences, 66 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 585 Other Minor Structures
- Four (4) civilian deaths have been confirmed by Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch via Lake County Sheriff's Department. Cause of death to be determined.
- Local Government Resources: 2 engines, 3 watertenders assigned
- An FMAG request has been received by Cal OES and has been forwarded to FEMA Region 9. FEMA Region 9 approved the FMAG on 09/12/15 at 2229 hours. FEMA Declaration Number is FM-5112.

Proclamations

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- Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. has issued an Emergency Proclamation for Lake and Napa Counties due to the effects of the Valley Fire.
- Proclamation of Local emergency received from Lake County due to the Valley Vegetation Fire with no specific requests.
- Proclamation of Local emergency received from Sonoma County due to the Valley Vegetation Fire with requests for CDAA and all available forms of Federal Disaster Assistance and a Presidential Declaration.
- Public Health Local Emergency was made to facilitate request for debris removal assistance.
- California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) funding has been approved for Lake and Napa Counties.
- A Proclamation from Napa County has been received declaring a local emergency due to the ongoing Valley Fire and it will be ratified by the Board of Supervisors on 9/22/15
- Public Health Local Emergency proclamation was amended to enable "sweep" of properties for initial rapid removal of hazardous materials.

Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa and Sonoma Counties**Activations**

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) transitioned to Joint Field Office (JFO) operations with FEMA to support recovery operations.

Shelters

- American Red Cross (ARC) and the Department of Social Services (CDSS) activated the Mass Care and Sheltering Task Force (EF-06) to identify long term planning, resources, address unmet needs and solutions for displaced persons and evacuees. The Napa County Fairgrounds and Clearlake Senior Community Center temporary shelters for Valley Fire evacuees closed on 09/24/15. Those needing shelter services will be redirected to other ARC shelters, while the ARC begins efforts to address long-term needs of the Lake County community.

Lake County:

- Grace Evangelical Free Church, 6716 Live Oak Drive, Kelseyville, CA 95451. Midnight Shelter Count: 4
- Hidden Valley Lake RV Park, 19234 Hidden Valley Lake Road Hidden Valley Lake, CA 95467. Midnight Population Count: 85
- Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1111 Park Way, Lakeport, CA 95453. Midnight Shelter Count: 2
- Twin Pine Casino, 22223 Hwy 29, Middletown, CA 95461. Midnight Shelter Count: 7
- Moose Lodge 2284, 15900 E Highway 20, Clearlake Oaks, CA 95423. ***Not Red Cross Managed. Midnight Shelter Count: 30

Napa County: R-Ranch at the Lake, 1962 Capell Valley, Napa, CA 94558. ***Not Red Cross Managed. [Closed](#)

Mendocino County: BuShay Campground, Ukiah, CA 95482; ***Not Red Cross Managed. Midnight Shelter Count: 16

Community Care Licensing Facilities Impacted:

- Currently there are 5 facilities impacted by the Valley Fire. One facility has burned down.

Animal Shelters

- Middletown Animal Hospital, 21503 CA-29, Middletown, CA 94561 (Can accommodate small animals)
- Lake County Animal Care and Control, 4949 Helbush Road, Lakeport, CA 95453 (Open 0800-1700; hours to change daily)
- Cole Creek Equestrian Center, 4965 Steelhead Drive, Kelseyville, CA 95451 (Emergency housing for animals)
- Napa Valley Equine, part of the California Animal Rescue Emergency System (CARES), is setting up a shelter network. The information can be found here: <https://www.facebook.com/NapaValleyEquine>.
- Sunrise Horse Rescue, 1098 Lodi Lane, Saint Helena, CA 94574.
- Sonoma County CHANGE Program, 1400 N Dutton Ave, Suite 17, Santa Rosa, CA 95401.

Recovery Activities:

- Recovery activities will be reported as significant changes to information occurs.

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County

Location: 5 miles north of Hume Lake and 2.5 miles southwest of Spanish Mountain

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 1933 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of [10/02/15 at 1746 hours](#):

- 151,623 Acres, 87% Contained
- Structures Destroyed: 1 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 3 Other Minor Structures

Activations

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) transitioned to Joint Field Office (JFO) operations with FEMA to support recovery operations.
- Fresno County EOC is activated at Level 1.

Road Closures

- Area closure in effect for National Forrest System lands with the Hume Lake Ranger District.
- Areas open to residents only: Goins Ranch, Hart Meadows, Big Meadow, Kennedy Meadow, Kings Lodge, Crabtree, Hume Lake and Sequoia Lakes.
- Road closure remains in effect for State Route 180, 17 miles west of General Grant Grove at Dunlap Road.

SITUATION SUMMARY

NATIONAL GUARD RESOURCES

California National Guard:

Per the Cal OES FDO as of 10/01/15 at 0700 hours:

Mission Task 2015-FIRE-15835

- 4 Type-2 twenty person handcrews have been assigned to train for statewide fire responses

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 2

Northern California

Preparedness Level **2**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **2**

Southern California

Preparedness Level **3**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **2**

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-18379 10/1/2015 0700 hours:** Tulare County Sheriff requested assistance in serving approximately 60 search warrants and 60 arrest warrants targeting the “Norteño” gang in Tulare County. Tulare requested 11 SWAT Teams and an additional 50 officers from outside the county to assist. These resources were supplied within the Mutual Aid Region except for a SWAT team from San Luis Obispo Sheriff, an armored vehicle from Stanislaus Sheriff, and CHP Officers from the Golden Gate and Valley Divisions. The operation occurred on 10/1/2015 at 0700 hours and resulted in the arrest of 52 people. Officers also seized weapons, currency and narcotics. **Mission Closed**
- **2015-LAW-18481 10/1/15, 1316 hours:** AFRCC notified Cal OES of a PLB activation within Monterey County. LDO was able to determine the activation was unintentional per the registered owner of the device. Device was silenced, LDO contacted AFRCC to advise. **Mission Closed**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.